DOCKET NO.: CRNT-0206

**PATENT** 



## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of:

James Douglas Mollenkopf

**Application No.: 10/675,409** 

Filing Date: September 30, 2003

Confirmation No.: 6510

Group Art Unit: 2636

Examiner: Julie Bichngoc Lieu

For: POWER LINE COMMUNICATION SYSTEM AND METHOD

DATE OF DEPOSIT:

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS PAPER IS BEING DEPOSITED WITH THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE AS FIRST CLASS MAIL, POSTAGE PREPAID, ON THE DATE INDICATED ABOVE AND IS ADDRESSED TO THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE, P.O. BOX 1450, ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1459.

TYPED NAME: Vincent J. Roccia REGISTRATION NO.: 43,887

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

180.00 GP

Dear Sir:

## SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.56 and in accordance with 37 CFR §§ 1.97-1.98, information relating to the above-identified application is hereby disclosed. Inclusion of information in this statement is not to be construed as an admission that this information is material as that term is defined in 37 CFR § 1.56(b).

	In accordance with § 1.97(b), since this Information Disclosure Statement is
	being filed either within three months of the filing date of the above-identified
00000062	application, within three months of the date of entry into the national stage of 10675409

01/03/2005 SFELEKE1 02 FC:1806

	the ab	ove identified application as set forth in § 1.491, before the mailing date
	of a f	irst Office Action on the merits of the above-identified application, or
	before	the mailing date of a first Office Action after the filing of request for
	contin	ued examination under § 1.114, no additional fee is required.
$\boxtimes$	In acc	ordance with § 1.97(c), this Information Disclosure Statement is being
	filed a	after the period set forth in § 1.97(b) above but before the mailing date of
	either	a Final Action under § 1.116 or a Notice of Allowance under § 1.311, or
	before	an action that otherwise closes prosecution in the application, therefore:
		Certification in Accordance with § 1.97(e) is attached; or
		The fee of $$180.00$ as set forth in § 1.17(p) is attached.
	In acc	ordance with § 1.97(d), this Information Disclosure Statement is being
	filed a	after the mailing date of either a Final Action under § 1.113 or a Notice
	of All	owance under § 1.311 but before, or simultaneously with, the payment
	of the	Issue Fee, therefore included are: Certification in Accordance with §
	1.97(e	); and the submission fee of $$180.00$ as set forth in $$1.17(p)$ .
$\boxtimes$	Copie	s of reference numbers 469-477 listed on the attached Form PTO-1449
	are en	closed herewith.
$\boxtimes$	Copie	s of reference numbers 416-468 on the attached Form PTO 1449 are not
	requir	ed to be submitted pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.98(a)(2)(i).
		Copies of references - are not being submitted because
		they were previously cited by or submitted to the U.S. Patent and
		Trademark Office in patent application number , filed for
		which a claim for priority under 35 U.S.C. § 120 has been made in the
		instant application.

There are no listed references which are not in the English language.

Applicant is uncertain as to the publication date of reference No. 477 listed on the attached Form PTO 1449, however the paper cited appears to have been presented at the 2004 International Symposium on PowerLine Communications and its Applications, Zaragoza, Spain, on March 31-April 2, 2004.

Please charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-

3050. This form is submitted in duplicate.

Date:

Vincent J. Roccia

Registration No. 43,887

WOODCOCK WASHBURN LLP One Liberty Place - 46th Floor

Philadelphia, PA 19103

Telephone: (215) 568-3100 Facsimile: (215) 568-3439

© 2004 WW

1	Form 1	PTO-1449 Mo	dified	Docket No. CRNT-0206	Serial N 10/675,4	
List of Patent and Publications Cited by Applicant (See several sheets if necessary)				Applicant  James Douglas Mollenkopf		
DEC 3 V 2004	Patent	epartment of Com and Trademark C	merce Office	Filing Date September 30, 2003	Group <b>2636</b>	
118		1	U. S. PATENT D	OCUMENTS	<del></del>	
Examiner Initial		Document No.	Date	Name	Class	Subclass
	416	3,701,057	10/24/72	Hoer	333	112
	417	3,900,842	08/19/75	Calabro et al.	340	310.03
	418	4,004,257	01/18/77	Geissler	333	207
-	419	4,017,845	04/12/77	Killian et al.	340	310.02
	420	4,504,705	03/12/85	Pilloud	381	77
	421	4,636,771	01/13/87	Ochs	340	310.05
	422	4,668,934	05/26/87	Shuey	340	310.06
	423	4,815,106	03/21/89	Propp et al.	375	257
	424	4,890,089	12/26/89	Shuey	340	310.07
	425	4,962,496	10/09/90	Vercellotti et al.	370	204
	426	5,132,992	07/21/92	Yurt et al.	375	240
	427	5,264,823	11/23/93	Stevens	340	310.04
	428	5,341,265	08/23/94	Westrom et al.	361	44
	429	5,355,109	10/11/94	Yamazaki, Yasuo	336	92
	430	5,537,087	07/16/96	Naito, Akira	336	92
	431	5,568,185	10/22/96	Yoshikazu	348	22
	432	5,592,354	01/07/97	Nocentino, Jr.	361	69
	433	5,748,104	05/05/98	Argyroudis et al.	340	870.11
	434	5,748,671	05/05/98	Sutterlin et al.	375	206
EXAMINER				DATE CONSIDEREI	D	

			Docket No. CRNT-0206	Serial N 10/675,4		
	List of Patent and Publications Cited by Applicant (Use several sheets if necessary)			Applicant James Douglas Mollenkopf		
		epartment of Com and Trademark O	office	Filing Date September 30, 2003	Group <b>2636</b>	
· · · ·			U. S. PATENT D		T	
Examiner Initial		Document No.	Date	Name	Class	Subclass
	435		05/12/98	Shpater	379	379
	436	5,798,913	08/25/98	Tiesinga et al.	363	21.13
	437	5,801,643	09/01/98	Williams et al.	340	870.02
	438	5,802,102	09/01/98	Davidovici	375	152
	439	5,805,053	09/08/98	Patel et al.	340	310.01
	440	5,805,458	09/08/98	McNamara et al.	702	60
	441	5,850,114	12/15/98	Froidevaux	307	105
	442	5,892,758	04/06/99	Argyroudis	370	335
	443	6,121,765	09/19/00	Carlson	323	359
	444	6,151,480	11/21/00	Fischer et al.	340	310.01
	445	6,154,488	11/28/00	Hunt	375	219
	446	6,243,413	06/05/01	Beukema	375	222
	447	6,255,805	07/03/01	Papalia et al.	323	207
	448	6,255,935	07/03/01	Lehmann et al.	340	310.07
	449	6,275,144	08/14/01	Rumbaugh	340	310.01
	450	6,300,881	10/09/01	Yee et al.	340	870.02
	451	6,335,672	01/01/02	Tumlin et al.	336	175
	452	6,384,580	05/07/02	Ochoa et al.	323	207
	453	6,522,650	02/18/03	Yonge, III et al.	370	390
EXAMINER				DATE CONSIDERE	D	

]	Form 1	PTO-1449 Modifi	ied	Docket No. CRNT-0206	Serial N 10/675,4		
	C	Patent and Publication Cited by Applicant Weral sheets if necessa	,	Applicant  James Douglas Mollenkopf			
		epartment of Commer and Trademark Office		Filing Date September 30, 2003	Group <b>2636</b>		
		U. S	S. PATENT D	OCUMENTS			
Examiner Initial		Document No.	Date	Name	Class	Subclass	
Amittai	454	6,624,532	09/23/03	Davidow et al.	307	39	
	455	2001/0045888 A1	11/29/01	Kline	340	310.01	
	456	2001/0054953 A1	12/27/01	Kline	340	310.01	
	457	2002/0002040 A1	01/03/02	Kline et al.	455	402	
	458	20020097953 A1	07/25/02	Kline	385	24	
	459	2002/0105413	08/2002	Cern et al	340	310.01	
	460	2002/0110310 A1	08/15/02	Kline	385	15	
	461	2002/0110311 A1	08/15/02	Kline	385	15	
	462	2002/0118101 A1	08/29/02	Kline	340	310.01	
	463	2002/0121963 A1	09/05/02	Kline	340	310.01	
	464	2002/0154000 A1	10/24/02	Kline	340	310.01	
	465	2003/0007570	01/09/03	Kim et al.	375	303	
	466	2003/0129978 A1	07/10/03	Akiyama et al.	455	426.1	
	467	2003/0169155 A1	09/11/03	Mollenkopf et al.	310	310.01	
	468	2003/0179080 A1	09/25/03	Mollenkopf et al.	340	310.01	

EXAMINER	DATE CONSIDERED

Form PTO-1449 Modified				Docket No. CRNT-0206	Serial No. 10/675,409	015
	C	Patent and Publicatio Cited by Applicant veral sheets if necessa		Applicant James Douglas Mollenkopf  Filing Date September 30, 2003  Group 2636		
	U.S. De Patent	epartment of Commer t and Trademark Offic	rce ee			
		FORE	GN PATEN	T DOCUMENTS	<del> </del>	
Examiner Initial		Document No.	Date	Country	Translat YES N	ion IO
	469	0 632 602 B1	12/19/01	EP		
	470	02/065684 A2, A3	08/22/02	WO		
	471	03/009083 A2, A3	01/30/03	WO		
	472	03/010896 A1	02/06/03	WO		
	473	03/056715 A1	07/10/03	WO		
	474	03/039022 A1	05/08/03	WO		:
						<u> </u>

EXAMINER	DATE CONSIDERED
----------	-----------------

	Form	PTO-1449 Modified	Docket No. CRNT-0206	Serial No. 10/675,409	
		Patent and Publications	Applicant		
		Cited by Applicant veral sheets if necessary)	James Douglas Moll	enkopf	
	(Use se	verai sheets ii necessary)			
		epartment of Commerce	Filing Date	Group	
	Patent	t and Trademark Office	September 30, 2003	2636	
Examiner					
Initial		OTHER DOCUMENTS (Includi			
·	475	Outlook Conference 2004: Amperior <b>May 7, 2004</b> , 10 pages			
	476	Dostert, K., Powerline Communication Upper Saddle River, NJ ©2001	ons, Ch. 5, pp. 286, 288	3-292, Prentice Hall PTR,	
	477				
			·		
		·			
		,			

EXAMINER	DATE CONSIDERED